

INDIANA AND MICHIGAN STATE HAPPENINGS

SKATERS RESCUED
FROM ICY WATERS

Harold Markle Goes Through
Ice and is Pulled Out by
Two Others.

News-Times Special Service:
ELKHART, Jan. 5.—Harold Markle, 427 Middlebury st., took an involuntary dip into the bayou of the Elkhart river near the Big Four bridge while skating at 7 o'clock Monday evening. He was assisted in climbing back onto the bank by Frank Stealy and Grant Houghton, who, with James Heck, had accompanied him to the skating field. Heck, sitting on the bank to put on his skates, could not reach the scene in time to be of service. Markle, who had "gone in" up to the armpits, stopped long enough to change his shoes because the skates were attached to the ones he wore, then walked home, a quarter of a mile away.

Markle's rescue—in the dark—bordered on the spectacular. When the ice broke with him he caught out to the edge, not knowing where the danger zone began. But Stealy lay prone on the ice, and Houghton, grasping his feet, shoved him forward until Markle could seize his hands, then "anchored" Stealy while the latter pulled the imperiled young man out of the water.

Lewis G. Thompson of Redfield st., Cass county, Mich., 65 years old, died at 3 o'clock Monday, as the result of a stroke of apoplexy which he suffered on Sunday.

Funeral services, conducted by Rev. C. H. Anderson of the Methodist church at Edwardsburg, will be held at the home at 19:30 o'clock Thursday morning. The Masonic lodge at Edwardsburg will have charge of the service. The burial will take place at Adamsville.

Mr. Thompson was born at Redfield Mills, Ottawa township, on May 25, 1850, and lived all of his life in the township. He came to Elkhart frequently and was well known to the older residents here. He is survived by a son, Henry Thompson, and a daughter, Miss Florence Thompson, both at home, and by two half sisters, Mrs. Della Murray and Miss Jessie Thompson, both of San Francisco. Mrs. Thompson died 18 years ago.

There are excellent prospects for Elkhart to land the 1916 meeting of the Indiana state grange—an event that will attract at least 1,000 delegates and visitors from all parts of the state, as well as probably another thousand from the immediate territory.

The visitors from a distance will attend all of the sessions during the three days. Those from nearby territory will come in to be spectators at one or more of the sessions.

It is believed that cooperation between the city officials and the Century club's public service board on one side and the officers of Pomona grange on the other, will be certain to induce the state grange's executive committee to designate Elkhart as the meeting place next December.

No bonus of any kind is required. All that is expected by the executive committee is the assurance that the visitors may secure meals and lodging at reasonable rates—that in one hotel there may be secured at least 12 rooms, to be used for office purposes by officers and committee-men of the state organization during the three days they are here, and that use of a hall seating at least 1,000 may be obtained.

Everyone Should
Drink Hot Water
in the Morning

Wash away all the stomach, liver, and bowel poisons before breakfast.

To feel your best day in and day out, to feel clean inside; no sour bile to coat your tongue and sicken your breath or dull your head; no constipation, bilious attacks, sick headache, colds, rheumatism or gassy, acid stomach, you must bathe on the inside like you bathe outside. This is vastly more important, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, while the bowel pores do, says a well-known physician.

To keep these poisons and toxins well flushed from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels, drink before breakfast each day a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This will cleanse, purify and freshen the entire alimentary tract, before putting more food into the stomach.

Get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from your pharmacist. It is inexpensive and almost tasteless, except a sourish twinge which is not unpleasant. Drink phosphated hot water every morning to rid your system of these vile poisons and toxins; also to prevent their formation.

To feel like young folks feel; like you felt before your blood, nerves and muscles became saturated with an accumulation of body poisons, begin this treatment and above all, keep it up! As soap and hot water act on the skin, cleansing, sweetening and purifying, so limestone phosphate and hot water before breakfast act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels.—Adv.

SEEKS RICHES FOR YEARS,
EXPIRES IN MASONIC HOME.

News-Times Special Service:
ALMA, Mich., Jan. 5.—Daniel W. Brooks, 84 years old, is dead at the Masonic home here. He was a "forty-niner," having gone over land to California over the old Santa Fe trail, and, failing to secure riches, later went to Alaska in search of gold, where he was again unsuccessful.

HOOSIER DIXIE HIGHWAY
ASSOCIATION FORMED

Articles of Incorporation Filed—To
Boost Road From Cincinnati to Goshen.

News-Times Special Service:
INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 5.—The Hoosier Dixie Highway association filed articles of incorporation with Sec'y of State Homer L. Cook here Tuesday to promote the Dixie highway between Louisville, Ky., Cincinnati, Ohio, and connecting with the Lincoln highway at Goshen.

The directors include Mayor Samuel F. Spohn, Ethan A. Arnold, Elkhart county; W. W. Reed, C. A. Sparklin, Kosciusko county; Henry New, Ira E. Perry, Wabash county; J. Wood Wilson, Tom H. Morgan, Fred Baum, Charles T. Parker, Grant county; S. G. Phillips, Joel Benefield, Joseph E. Hennings, Madison county; Charles C. Wilhoit, Mont Leakey, Henry county; W. C. Squire, C. E. McKee, Wayne county; E. P. Hawkins, T. C. Bryson, Fayette county; W. D. Bradt, M. L. White, Franklin county; Morris McManaman, George Frederick, Dearborn county; Harry Strickland, C. N. Warren, Hancock county; Frank Miller, V. J. Mead, Hamilton county, Ohio.

DEARING HAS HEARING

Albion Bank Wrecker is Examined
In Second Case.

News-Times Special Service:
ALBION, Mich., Jan. 5.—Henry M. Dearing, who completed a term at Leavenworth penitentiary for wrecking the Albion National bank of which he was cashier, and who was rearrested at Leavenworth, was brought back to Albion to answer to a charge of forgery here this week. The testimony of two witnesses was taken, one of them being Z. T. O'Hara, the complaining witness in the case, and the other, Herbert E. Johnson, now president of the Kalamazoo Savings bank, who, as national bank examiner, was the man who discovered the embezzlements of Dearing. A motion made by Dearing's attorneys that the case against the defendant be dismissed was denied and the hearing adjourned until Monday, Jan. 17, to obtain evidence from Washington.

BLOOMFIELD HAS TWO
POLICE OFFICERS NOW

One Was Elected and the Other
Says Election Was Illegal.

News-Times Special Service:
BLOOMFIELD, Ind., Jan. 5.—Two marshals, both contending they have legal authority, are maintaining peace and order in Bloomfield today. This complication has arisen as a result of the uncertainty of the act of the last general assembly in regard to elections. The town board called an election last fall for the first Tuesday in November. Joshua Cook, a republican nominee, was elected by a large plurality, and yesterday qualified and took the oath of office.

Thomas M. Wilson, who has been marshal for nearly a year, refuses to give up the office on the ground that the law does not provide for the election of last November, and that, therefore, Cook's election was illegal. Wilson says, however, he will step down, and out if he is appointed deputy marshal. Cook has chosen Calvin Workman as his deputy marshal. In the meantime the town board is in a dilemma, not knowing which marshal to recognize, but since it called the election it probably will recognize Cook, who was chosen by the election which it called.

ONE COUNTY WON BY
WETS; LOSE OTHERS

Michigan Supreme Court Orders
Supervisors to Consider Option Petitions.

News-Times Special Service:
LANSING, Mich., Jan. 5.—Ingham county "wets" were made the victors in their contest with the board of supervisors, through a decision handed down by the state supreme court. The court declared that it is very evident that the board of supervisors had a duty to perform, which was not performed in this matter.

As interpreted by Dwight W. F. Warner, one of the attorneys for the saloon forces, the opinion means that the Ingham supervisors, who refused to accept the petitions for a local option election in April, will now be compelled to do so.

But while the court's ruling has been generally interpreted to mean the liquor men have won a point in their fight in this county to put the local option question to another vote, the same decision, according to Grant M. Hudson, president of the Anti-Saloon league, is a victory for the "drys" in four other counties. These counties are Menominee, Mackinaw, Manistee and Otsego, where boards of supervisors refused to entertain "dry" petitions for April elections.

In Ingham county, the conflict between the "wets" and the board of supervisors grew out of the board's refusal to accept the "wet" petition for a local option election in April. The board, after first passing favorably on the petitions, later reconsidered its action, and refused the petition, on the ground that the names had not been posted a sufficient length of time with the county clerk. The supreme court held, in its opinion today, that the petitions had been filed a sufficient length of time. This same point was made against the "dry" petitions in the other four counties where the issue is up.

GETS ESTATE BUT CAN'T
MARRY FORMER HUSBAND

Adopted Daughter Is Left All Property
But Loses It If She Sees
Divorced Spouse.

News-Times Special Service:
MUNCIE, Ind., Jan. 5.—The will of Mrs. Elizabeth Blackman has been filed for probate. It disposes of real estate and other property estimated to be worth many thousands of dollars.

Mrs. Blackman gives practically all the estate to May Marybelle Mier, her adopted daughter, but this is only on condition that if Miss Mier should at any time remarry her divorced husband the property in its entirety is to go to the First Brethren church. The will further says that if the beneficiary of the estate "keeps company" or associates with her former husband she is to lose all interest in the estate.

WILL HEAR GOVERNOR

Teachers of Michigan Will be Addressed
by Ferris Next Week.

News-Times Special Service:
ANN ARBOR, Mich., Jan. 5.—At the eighth annual banquet and institute of the Washtenaw County Teachers' association, Jan. 14-15, two addresses by Gov. Ferris and five by Prof. Earl Barnes of Philadelphia, will feature the session. Friday morning Dr. Barnes will speak on "The Training of the Imagination" and Gov. Ferris' topic will be "The Teacher in the Community." Friday afternoon Mr. Barnes will speak upon "What a Child May Inherit" and Gov. Ferris "What Are the Public Schools For?"

Saturday morning Dr. Barnes will give addresses upon "Intensive Education" and "What Work Should Give Us Besides Bread." In the afternoon Dr. Barnes will speak upon "A Study of Children's Ideals."

STATE BRIEFS

News-Times Special Service:
CAPITOL, Mich.—When the bank at Harriette closed its doors, a month ago, its organizer and owner, Claude Barry, said the bank would pay creditors very close to 100 cents on the dollar. According to Receiver Alva Crimmins, the bank's assets have dwindled, and depositors now believe they will be fortunate to recover five cents on the dollar. The deposits in the bank were slightly under \$10,000, of which a majority belonged to school districts and townships.

News-Times Special Service:
LANSING, Mich.—The Rescue Home association of Green Bay, Wis., has been denied a license to solicit funds in Michigan by the state board of corrections and charities. Sec'y Murray of the state board, says investigation disclosed the fact that the most of the money raised in Michigan last year went to the solicitor for expenses and committees.

News-Times Special Service:
LANSING, Mich.—There was a balance of \$155,661.65 in the general fund of the state treasury Monday and Deputy State Treasurer Gorman says that the stringency is now over. During December the general fund received \$445,000, and \$451,000 was expended from this fund. The total in all funds to the credit of the state was \$761,911.64.

News-Times Special Service:
MARSHALL, Mich.—William Connor, 75 years old, a clothing salesman, formerly a business partner of Sen. William Alden Smith, died here.

MUSKEGON, Mich.—Although City Physician A. B. Egan is demanding that all observe the strictest quarantine restrictions, it is believed that the worst of the grip and scarlet fever epidemic experienced by Muskegon recently, is over.

FIND DYNAMITE ON
STREET RAILWAY TRACKS

Car Men Discover It Barely in Time
to Prevent Serious Explosion.

News-Times Special Service:
FORT WAYNE, Ind., Jan. 5.—A stick of dynamite was found wedged in a switch of the street railway tracks in an outlying residence district early today. It had been placed there during the night. The discovery was made by the car men barely in time to prevent the car from striking the explosive.

The police are trying to find the man or the men who attempted to wreck the car. The attempt is believed to be a development of the street railway strike which has been in progress here since late in September. At another point last night one of the city cars struck an explosive which shattered glass in the car, but did no further damage.

NEGRO IS PUNISHED

Betrays Trust and Judge Sends Him
to Jail For 90 Days.

News-Times Special Service:
ST. JOSEPH, Mich., Jan. 5.—Judge George W. Bridgeman, last week elected to the presidency of the Michigan State Judges' association, stated about the most drastic bootlegging "cleaning" in Berrien in six months' of local option history. The cause of the outbreak was the "break of faith" by Verely Smith, colored, formerly proprietor of Benton Harbor's Colored club. Smith was convicted during the last term of court as a liquor law violator, since that time he had been out on bonds, the judge stating that he had given him a "chance."

Then Smith betrayed the court. Conducting a private investigation, Judge Bridgeman found that Smith so openly violated local option laws that whisky was "ordered" over the telephone and delivered in autos. Prominent business men are said to have made his second hand store "headquarters." Smith's sentence is 90 days in jail, or a fine of \$75 and 40 days. He is in jail.

TERRE HAUTE COUNCIL
APPROVES MAYOR'S ACT

Body Shows Change of Heart
Toward City Executive.

News-Times Special Service:
TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Jan. 5.—Cordial relations seem to have been restored between James M. Gosson, the mayor and the Terre Haute city council since the mayor discharged his law-enforcing board of safety and named one that does not seem to be averse to "tilling the lid."

When the city clerk reported at the council meeting that Mayor Gosson had returned without his signature, a proposed ordinance passed by the council recently, which was intended to license and regulate pool and other games, the council considerably struck it from the files. There were other evidences that the mayor is not at present the object of the council's bitterness.

Other than electing Hugh Peck Brannin president for the ensuing year, and Charles E. Rieder vice president, the council transacted no important business. A proposed ordinance to create a nonpartisan police force was referred to the committee on safety. It contemplates the addition to the present force of a chief of detectives, two additional detectives and three patrolmen, at an estimated cost to the city of \$5,000 a year. An ordinance appropriating this sum was also referred.

In view of the number of deaths recently as the result of reckless automobile driving, the council directed the board of safety to see that the speed and traffic ordinance are enforced rigidly.

GALLONS OF LIQUOR
DESTROYED BY WOMEN

Man Bets That Whisky be Distributed
Among Physicians, But
Workers Break All Bottles.

News-Times Special Service:
PETERSBURG, Ind., Jan. 5.—Members of the W. C. T. U. assisted by city officers, destroyed seven gallons of whisky, a half gallon of wine and 48 bottles of beer, which were confiscated in a recent raid on "blind tigers." The containers and contents were placed in big sacks and hammered. Many citizens watched the destruction. One man begged that the whisky be spared and distributed among the physicians of the city, but the women, intent on destroying it, were not satisfied until the last bottle was broken.

STATE FAIR WAS SUCCESS

Report of Secretary Shows Net Profit of 69,780.60.

Associated Press Service:
INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 4.—Net profits for the 1915 state fair were \$9,780.60, according to an announcement made today at the meeting of the state board of agriculture by Sec'y Charles Downing. The total receipts were \$93,422.79. The board elected members, including Simon W. Taylor, Booneville; Mason J. Niblack, Vincennes; C. N. Landley, Salem; L. B. Clore, Franklin; Clem Graves, Bunker Hill; S. F. Spohn, Goshen, and Warren T. McCray, Kentland.

The county fair managers association, meeting in connection with the state board, heard addresses by Gov. Ralston, Mayor Bell and Mr. McCray, president of the state board of agriculture.

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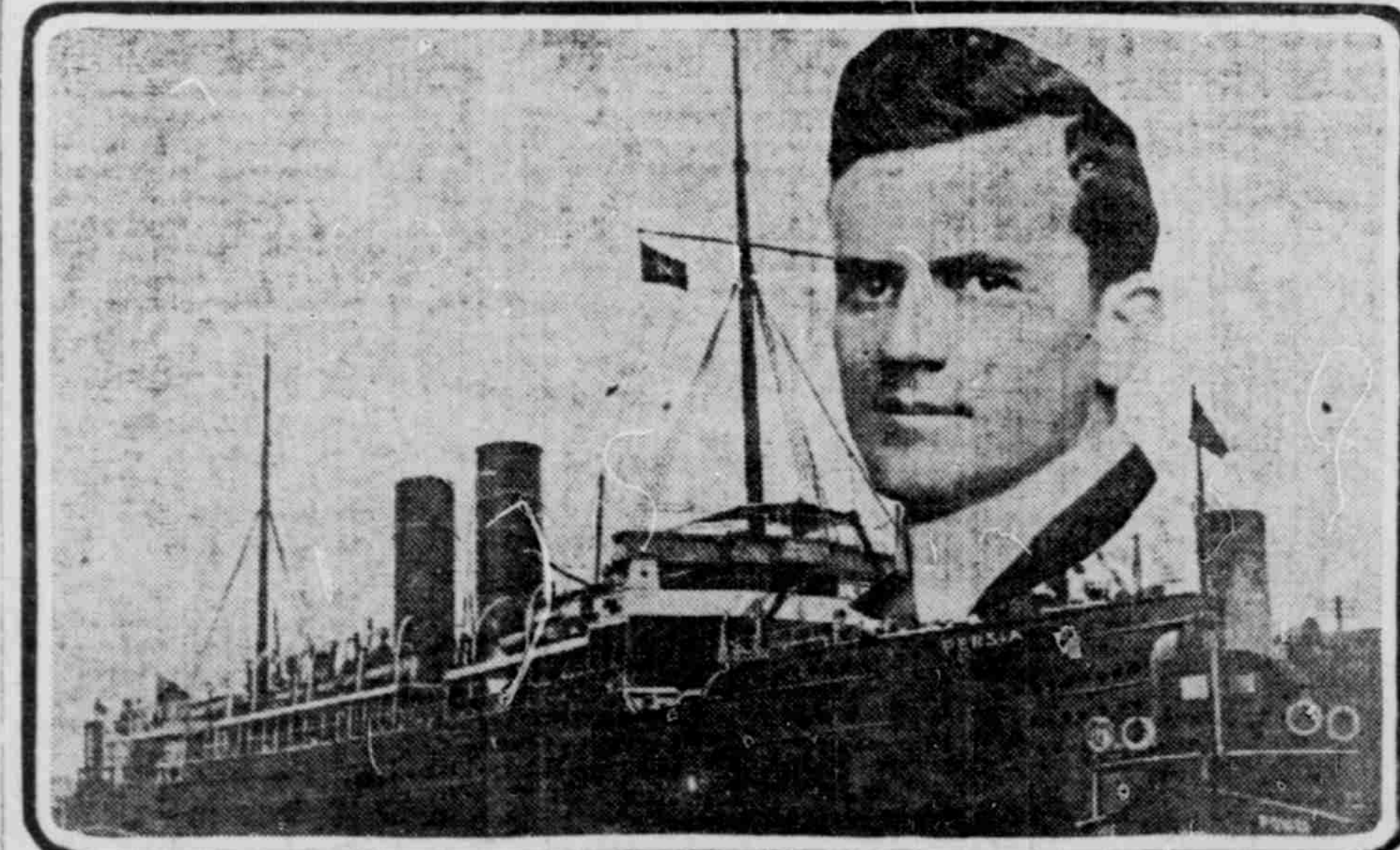
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Persia and American Passenger



The Peninsular and Oriental liner Persia, torpedoed by a submarine in the Mediterranean with a loss of life believed to amount to 350 persons, and Robert McNeely, U. S. consul at Aden, Arabia, a passenger on the vessel and believed to have been drowned when the ship sank.

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